

LOCAL NEWS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 14.

For this section cloudiness and occasional rains, slightly cooler, westerly winds.

ARREST OF A COUNTERFEITER.—For a long time past the Government authorities have been on the lookout for certain parties who have been sending circulars through the mails offering counterfeit money for sale. The circulars instructed those who wished to purchase the "quet" to address their letters to Culpeper. This morning Post-office Inspector J. E. Jacobs, who had been in Culpeper, boarded the train at that place immediately after the two men whom he suspected of being the counterfeiters had done so. He kept his eye on the men and when Burke's Station was reached, telegraphed to the police authorities here to send an officer to the depot to arrest the men when the train reached this city. When the train reached this city, Jacobs was on hand when the train arrived, but Inspector Jacobs pointed out to him the wrong men. Lieut. Smith told the Inspector he was mistaken and then went through the train to look for the counterfeiters. He found one of the men who turned out to be Geo. Miller, a son of ex-Deputy Miller, of Washington, and at once seized him. Miller offered resistance but was soon brought under subjection by Lieut. Smith. The other man during the excitement quietly got off the train and made his escape. Miller was searched and on him was found some counterfeit circulars, a pistol, &c. He was taken to the station house and afterwards before U. S. Commissioner Fowler, who, after an examination, held him in \$2,000 bail for using the mails to defraud. Miller expects his father to come here this evening and become his bondsman.

GOOD TEMPLARS.—District Lodge No. 13, Good Templars, held its regular quarterly session at Fairfax C. H. yesterday. About one hundred delegates and visitors were present from the following lodges: viz. Pioneer, Providence, Golden Light, Lewinville, Clifton, Good Will, Arlington Hill, Keystone, Fannie Bowman Memorial and Rising Star lodges. Considerable business pertaining to the order in the district was transacted. The next session will be held at Langley. During the day the shareholders in the Good Templar Register Publishing Company met and formed a permanent organization by electing Job Hawhurst, of Fairfax C. H., president; Geo. H. Hayden, of Alexandria, secretary, and H. J. Stuart, J. F. Birrell, Geo. W. Hawhurst with the President and Secretary as a board of directors. Geo. W. Hawhurst was elected business manager, and Messrs. Job Hawhurst, John Gray and H. M. Folz, editors. Last night a large delegation from Tallman Lodge, of this city, paid a fraternal visit to Pioneer Lodge, at Fairfax Church, where an enjoyable time was had. An interesting programme of exercises was rendered by the visiting lodge. Delegations were also present from Golden Light and Lewinville lodges. Speeches were made by C. A. Bland and E. P. Taylor, of Tallman, and G. H. Hayden, District Counselor.

MOUNT VERNON.—As stated in yesterday's GAZETTE, the ceremony of planting a tree in the name of the Prince of Wales took place at Mount Vernon. A select party from Washington went down on the new boat, the Charles Maclester, and as she moved from her moorings Mrs. Laughton, regent, christened the boat with the usual ceremonies in honor of her father, the late Charles Maclester. Arriving at Mount Vernon decked in hunting and flying the English Jack at about 3 o'clock p. m., the party, composed of Sir Julian Pancofote, wife and daughters, Regent Laughton, Geo. W. Childs, esq., Mrs. Townsend, Gen. Brown and wife, Mrs. S. and many others, proceeded to the tomb, where there was ready a young English oak, which Sir Julian planted in the name of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and made some very appropriate and interesting remarks. The Regent, in a few well chosen words, accepted the gift and returned thanks to the Prince for his graceful courtesy. The company then repaired to the mansion, where, under the escort of the courteous superintendent, Mr. Harrison H. Dodge, they spent a delightful hour or two, and then returned to Washington. The occasion was a most delightful one and will be remembered with pleasure by those who were present.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was cloudy and mild with four prisoners and five lodgers at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

Z. W. Wells, arrested by Officers Brenner and Sherwood for being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$1.50, and James Reeves, arrested on the same charge, forfeited \$5 collateral.

Rose Q. Vander and Susan Skelton, colored, arrested by Officers Bettis and Grady, charged with assault with intent to rob Charlie Davis, also colored, were fined \$5 each. George Miller, arrested by Lieut. Smith, charged with using the mails for circulating counterfeit money, was held to await the action of the U. S. authorities.

HELD FOR THE VIRGINIA AUTHORITIES.—Edward E. Windsor and Edward Smith, who were arrested in Baltimore last Friday with an unusual quantity of clothing in their possession, were yesterday committed for the Virginia authorities. Messrs. Brager & Goldsmith, of this city, went to Baltimore and identified some of the clothing as their property. It is believed that these are the men who recently robbed the stores of Messrs. Brager & Goldsmith and W. S. Town, in this city, and who stole Mr. William Fisher's boat and robbed the store of Mr. Johnson at Mathias Point.

REMAINS TO BE DISINTERRED.—Permission has been granted by the War Department for the burial in the Federal cemetery near this city of the remains of Chas. Jackson, who recently died from the effects of injuries received from a block of ice falling on him while he was unloading a vessel at the wharf here. Jackson was an ex-Federal soldier, and his remains, which were buried in Penny Hill last week, will be disinterred on Friday next and placed in the Soldiers' cemetery.

MUST SLOW UP.—Complaint having been made to the Secretary of the Navy that the wash made by the torpedo boat Cushing as she darts up and down the river on her exhibition runs has caused considerable damage to the shipping at this port, and in compliance with a request received from Alexandria ship owners and wharf men, orders have been issued from the Navy Department to the commander of the Cushing to slow up as he passes this city.

SUITS.—Messrs. Edmund Burke and J. H. Greene have entered suit in the Corporation Court for this city, for W. J. Carter against the R. & D. R. Co. for \$10,000 for personal injuries. About a year ago Carter while loading a heavy spindle on the cars of the company in the yard of the W. & O. read in this city was injured.

ASCENSION DAY services will be held tomorrow in the Catholic and Episcopal churches in this city. Communion services will be held at Grace church at 7 o'clock in the morning.

A DIFFICULTY occurred in the store of Mr. Thos. M. Fairfax, on upper Duke street, yesterday evening, between Mr. Fairfax and Mr. Geo. Washington, Jr., growing out of the transaction which Mr. Washington recently secured restraining Mr. Fairfax from collecting certain notes of the former on which it is claimed usurious interest is charged. Mr. Washington, after the difficulty, swore out a warrant before Justice Whittlesey against Mr. Fairfax, charging him with assault and battery. The case will be tried before Mayor Downham and Justice Whittlesey to-morrow.

PROPERTY SALES.—Mr. J. W. Green has sold to T. B. Baltimore a lot on the north side of Gibson street, between St. Asaph and Pitt, for \$150.

C. C. Carlin and J. K. M. Norton have sold to the Alexandria Real Estate Company a lot on the east side of Washington street, between Wythe and Madison, for \$150.

The Alexandria Real Estate Company has sold to Albert Grover a lot on the east side of Columbus street, between Montgomery and First, for \$175.

ART STUDENTS' PRIZES.—The annual awarding of prizes to the art students at Cooper Union, New York, began yesterday. Prizes were given to the classes of full length life, antique and heads, and to members of the class in first year elementary work. The work in heads and antique was regarded as more than usually excellent. In the first year elementary work Miss H. L. Taliferro, of this city, took the second prize, a silver medal. Miss C. C. Critcher, also of this city, received the third prize, a bronze medal.

CORPORATION COURT.—Judge J. K. M. Norton presiding.—Tnos. Brent vs. The Mutual Life Insurance Company; case continued.

Ratcliff vs. Ratcliff; Harlow vs. Hammit; Beach vs. Beach, and Lee vs. Butler; reports of commissioners in all these cases confirmed.

Court adjourned till to-morrow.

SALE OF LOTS.—A large crowd yesterday went to Bon Air, on the W. & O. railroad, about four or five miles from this city, on the excursion train run by Mr. Francis Hasty to attend the sale of villa lots which took place there. The place is a beautiful one and all were much pleased with the location. About sixty lots were sold—a number of them to persons in this city.

AN OLD PAPER.—Mr. Geo. A. Nowland brought to this office yesterday a copy of the Uster county (N. Y.) Gazette, dated January 4, 1800. The paper, which is in a fair state of preservation, was found in an old book belonging to the father of Capt. J. F. Webster, and contains an account of the death and burial of General Washington, etc.

FIREMEN'S MEETING.—A meeting of the firemen's and citizen's committees having in charge the preparations for receiving and entertaining the members of the State Firemen's Association, which meets in this city next month, will be held to-night at the Hydraulic engine house.

OLD TOWER DESTROYED.—The old light tower on Smith's Point, at the mouth of the Potomac river, is no longer an aid to navigation, having been destroyed during a recent storm.

There will be a meeting of the committee having in charge the improvement of the Leesburg pike at Hoff's run bridge at 12:30 p. m. on Thursday, May 15th.

DAVID A. WINDSOR, Chairman.

COURTNEY H. SMITH, Secretary.

THE MUTUAL REAL ESTATE COMPANY.—Office 421 King st., Alexandria. Buys and sells real estate, negotiates loans and transacts the usual business of LAND AGENTS. A number of beautiful lots in Roanoke for sale. City Property—Houses and Lots for sale. Valuable information will be given without charge to parties wishing to invest in Southwest Virginia. Dr. D. N. RUST, President.

WORTH HULFISH, Treasurer.

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Interest allowed on deposits, payable semi-annually in cash. Deposits of 10 cents or more received. Open every Saturday from 5 to 7 p. m. Every man, woman and child is invited to open an account with this bank.

John R. Zimmerman, Presd. L. E. Uhler, Treas.

E. S. Leadbeater, Vice Pres. Worth Hulfish, Sec. (my14 3c)

FOR SALE—A NICE DWELLING, with side lot, on King street; a good investment. Also a GOOD BRICKMILL STAND, corner, with BRICK HOUSE, in good condition, now occupied as dwelling and store.

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FOR SALE—TWO NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSES on Pendleton street, between Alfred and Patrick streets. Apply to

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FOR SALE—THREE FINE LOTS in the western suburbs. Can be bought cheap.

MUTUAL REAL ESTATE CO.

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NOTICE.—The second installment on stock of the POTOMAC SHOE COMPANY, 20 per cent, or ten dollars per share, will be received Thursday, May 15th, 1890, at the office of the factory. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. SCHNEIDER,

my12 4c Secretary and Treasurer.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE RECEIVED A

LARGE SUPPLY OF

HARDWARE SUITED TO THE SEASON.

Such as Harrow Teeth of assorted sizes, Polished Steel Plow Plates and Bull Tongues, Garden and Field Hoes, Stable Forks, Garden Trowels of assorted quality, Trace Chains, Galvanized Pump Chains and all the goods in the same line at low prices at 325 King, corner of Royal street.

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J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

LIMEADE,

FROM FRESH LIMES,

AT

J. D. H. LUNT'S

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King and Washington streets

COMP TALCUM TOILET POWDER, for softening and preserving the skin, specially adapted to the use of babies, it being a pharmaceutical and entirely free from all impurities. For sale by

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WARFIELD & HALL.

PEREY'S HARNESS OIL SOAP.

Three sizes—\$1, 50 and 25c sizes; the finest article in the world for harness. For sale by

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W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

TRY LUNT'S COUGH SYRUP

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.

Price 25c; sample bottle 10c.

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TOILET AND ERASIVE SOAP will remove grease, pitch, varnish, paint, dye or leather stains from the skin or clothing without injury. Price 15c. For sale by

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WARFIELD & HALL.

PAINT YOUR OWN BUGGY.—Just received the following new line of Colors: Olive Fonce, Ponceau, Ecariate, and Jet Coach Black. Call for sample. For sale by

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W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

DYSPEPSIA CURE.

ABOMANNA!

Just received a supply of the above celebrated preparation. It never fails. Price 25c. For sale by

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W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

LEADBEATER'S FURNITURE POLISH

at 20c per bottle.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The body of the man who was killed on the railroad, just north of this city, early yesterday morning, has not been identified, and it is now believed to be that of a tramp. The remains are still at Mr. Wheatley's establishment.

Lewis Magruder and Alfred Yarboe, two of the negroes who were sent to the penitentiary last year for stealing grain, have served out their terms and returned to this city.

The first meeting of the board of directors of the National Mary Washington Memorial Association was held at the White House in Washington yesterday evening.

It is reported that the republican league of this city will hold a meeting to-night to consider the propriety of putting a ticket in the field for next week's election.

This city was visited by a storm early last night during which the wind blew a gale, rain fell for a time and the lightning was vivid.

Postmaster Agnew has recommended to the Department the appointment of E. T. Lucas, Jr., as a letter carrier for this city.

Three non-resident doctors were in the city yesterday, looking for offices with a view of locating here.

Two dogs, supposed to have been mad, were killed in the First ward to day by Mr. Julian Knight.

The Washington Southern Railway Company is having the Alexandria and Washington turnpike repaired.

The registration books closed last night. But few names were added to the books yesterday.

Large numbers of persons went from this city to Washington to-day to attend the circus.

Mr. G. E. French is quite sick at his home on Washington street.

Surgeon General Hamilton was in the city yesterday.

Mayflies were extremely numerous last night. Mr. G. E. Price will have for sale in market to-morrow some fine salt water trout and other fish.

Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria are spread by contagion, by the transfer of living matter. These particles come from the skin, the membranous lining of the mouth, nose and throat, and from the intestines and urinary organs. Disinfect promptly and thoroughly with Darby's Prophylactic Fluid, the great germ destroyer.

Prof. H. T. Lupton, of the Vanderbilt University, Tenn., says: "As a disinfectant and detergent Darby's Prophylactic Fluid is superior to any preparation with which I am acquainted."

For an unpopular President, the remedy is the ballot; but for impure blood A. B. C. Alternative.

A bar of iron worth \$5 becomes when made into horseshoes, worth \$10; into needles, \$325 per knives, \$35; and into watch-springs, \$210,000, or more than its weight in gold. The same can truly be said of Stonebraker's Indian Gum Syrup for children teething. In the drug store it is only 25 and 50 cents, but in your medicine chest, where you can put your hands on it when emergencies arise, it is worth \$25,000, or a thousand times its weight in gold.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

A Scrap of Paper Saved Her Life.

It was just an ordinary scrap of wrapping paper but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could live only a short time; she weighed less than seventy pounds. On a piece of wrapping paper she read of Dr. King's New Discovery, and got a sample bottle; it helped her, she bought a large bottle, it helped her more, bought another and grew better fast, continued its use and is now strong, healthy, rosy, plump, weighing 140 pounds. For fuller particulars send stamp to W. H. Cole, Druggist, Fort Smith. Trial bottles of this wonderful Discovery Free at E. S. Leadbeater & Bro's.

WILL YOU SUFFER with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

There is much in good blood; but if born of bad blood, "A. B. C. Alternative" is the only remedy.

SILHOL'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consumption. E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., agents.

Ladies, clean your kid gloves with Mather's Glove Cleaner. For sale only at Leadbeater's drug store.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

GUNS, PISTOLS, CAPS, WADS, SHELLS, &c., just opened at 328 King street, corner of Royal, and for sale at reduced prices.

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J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

WARRANTED FAST COLORS and GOOD HEAVY-WEIGHT CLOTH GINGHAMS at 6c, worth 8c, and 8c, worth 10c, in dress styles, at

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AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

IF YOUR CHILDREN ARE SICK,

TRY

LUNT'S CHICKEN CHOLERA CURE.

Sold by all druggists and grocers

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FLOBALEXION.—A positive cure for Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and Consumption. For sale by

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WARFIELD & HALL,

Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

SCREEN WIRE DOORS and ADJUSTABLE WIRE WINDOW SCREENS at 328 King st., corner of Royal.

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J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

10 CENTS will buy a large bottle of the MT. VERNON HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA, the strongest and best on the market. Try it at,

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J. D. H. LUNT'S.

The Great Indian Oil & Sagwa

For sale by

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J. D. H. LUNT.

LEMON HOT DROPS cures colds, hoarseness and sore throat. Price 25 cents per bottle. For sale by

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Cor. King and Pitt sts., Alexandria.

PURE LINEN COLLARS from 9 to 12c; CUFFS, pure Linen, 18 to 25c; Mixed Linen and Colored Collars 5c, and Cuffs 12c, at

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AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

"CHLORITE" for chapped hands and lips. Price 20c per bottle at

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J. D. H. LUNT'S.

FINEST QUALITY OLIVE OIL, 1/2 pints, pints and quarts, just received by

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J. C. MILBURN.

A PINT OF OUR OPERA COLOGNE, in a glass stoppered bottle, for one dollar.

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J. D. H. LUNT

A HANDSOME ASSORTMENT OF DRESS GINGHAMS from 8 to 12c at

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AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

A FINE SUPPLY OF BLACK-EYED PEAS received to-day by

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J. C. MILBURN.

ROCKWOOD'S GERMAN SWEET CHOCOLATE received to day by

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J. C. MILBURN.

A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT of Colgate's Soap and Perfumes, just received by

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E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

RED WARRIOR CHOPPING AXES, wholesale and retail, at 88 King, corner of Royal st.

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J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

GOOD COOKING BUTTER at 15c per lb at

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J. C. MILBURN'S.

CANNED FRESH MACKEREL, just received by

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J. C. MILBURN.

EXTRA SIFTED EARLY JUNE PEAS for sale by

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J. C. MILBURN.

5 GROSS ROUGH ON RATS, for sale by

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E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

A PINT BOTTLE OF LUNT'S OPERA COLOGNE only costs \$1.

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EXTRA MIXED TEA 45c; draws well; for sale by

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J. C. MILBURN.

OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen held May 13, 1890, there were present: Wm. H. Marbury, esq., President, and Messrs. Burke, Bryant, Hinkle, Goodrich and McKee. The Committee on Light, being equally divided upon the petition for an electric light at the intersection of Union and Wilkes streets, referred the same back to this board, which returned it to the Committee on Light.

The petition of J. K. Zimmerman for erecting a frame warehouse on the west side of Union street next to his office was granted.